

## ARBITRATION PERILS ARE SEEN BY LODGE

REPUBLICAN LEADER GIVES PRE-TINENT SPEECH REGARDING ARBITRATION PROBLEMS.

## SENATE IS AROUSED

Declares There Are Questions of National Policy Which Should Not Be Referred to Commission.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Washington, D. C., Feb. 29.—The Senate today was aroused by the declaration of a Republican leader that the vital questions of national policy should not be referred to a commission. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, a Republican leader, and fourteen years a member of the foreign relations committee. Some of the senator's references to the Monroe Doctrine's relation to the arbitration proposed in the pending treaty with England and France caused a stir. He pointed to the reported efforts of foreign powers to obtain coaling stations and harbors near the Panama canal and declared there was now an effort by a foreign power to gain possession of Magdalena Bay on the Pacific side of Mexico. Efforts had been made, he said, to buy the Galapagos Islands of Ecuador, near the western end of the canal.

One statement, and one which held the close attention of the Senate, was that those who had hoped to profit more than \$10,000,000 by the Hay-Herran treaty, of 1903, were now struggling through assistants in this country who meant to share the spoil, to secure by arbitration what they failed to obtain by blackmail and could not seize by violence.

The Hay-Herran treaty was a convention between the United States and Colombia by which the United States was to pay \$10,000,000 for the Panama Canal route and a rent of \$250,000 a year. It was rejected by Colombia. The Panama revolution followed. Colombia is now pleading for an arbitration of her claims. The strained situation of eight years elapsed a few days ago when Senor Ospina, the Colombian minister, published a letter suggesting that Secretary Knox might find it "inopportune" to visit Colombia on his coming tour to Central America. Minister Ospina was promptly recalled by his government.

"The tolls to be charged by us in the Panama Canal which we have built at our own expense, might be brought before a tribunal, wholly or partly composed of foreigners, to be fixed and determined by them," declared Senator Lodge. "Worse than this, our title to our own canal might be called in question. Three successive Secretaries of State have refused, and properly refused, to submit our title to the canal to arbitration and now under clause three of article three, as I interpret it, we might be forced to submit that title to The Hague Court or some outside tribunal."

Deny Arbitration. The men who rejected the Hay-Herran treaty because they hoped to extort more than \$10,000,000 from us for their own use are even now struggling through assistants in this country who mean to share the spoil. (Continued on Page 3.)

## STARVING PERSIANS BECOME CANNIBALS

Letter Describes Terrible Conditions Following Famine by Armies. Seek Red Cross Aid.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Washington, Feb. 29.—Starvation at legations of cannibals among starving Persians are contained in letters from Tehran to the Persian-American Educational Society here from Dr. S. A. Stead, formerly of Chicago. He declares fathers are eating their children and children are eating each other in northwestern Persia. In the vicinity of Hamadan, where famine has followed the sucking of twenty-two towns and villages by the rebel troops of Salard-Dowleh, brother of the deposed shah. Forty thousand people are starving, it is declared, and the society has started a relief fund. The American National Red Cross also will be asked for assistance.

Until now crops have been grown and harvested, there will be no opportunity for the homeless people to help themselves. Salard-Dowleh who led the rebels, has been placed in official position as governor at Tabriz in the Russian sphere of influence in northern Persia.

## RUBIN DEFENDS MEN UP FOR DYNAMITING

Says That Men Should Be Extradited. Unfair to Organized Labor to Remove Men From District.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Milwaukee, Feb. 29.—"I do not believe these men have been connected in any way with the matters mentioned in the indictment," said William D. Rubin, arguing against the extradition of Herman G. Steffert and William G. Reddin, alleged dynamiters, before Judge Sanborn this morning.

"It is unfair to these men, and to organized labor to attempt to take them away from this district for trial. It appears that the nature of the indictment, especially against Steffert, that the government has arrested men who have had no correspondence with the national officers at Indianapolis."

## STRIKE OF MINERS SEEMS INEVITABLE IN ENGLAND TODAY

Last Efforts Toward Settlement Seem Futile, While Government Prepares to Take Over Mines.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] London, Eng., Feb. 29.—The premier and his colleagues in the cabinet, officials of the board of trade and other persons having influence with the coal miners and mine owners have been making this morning a final effort to avert a national coal strike in Great Britain.

There is, however, only the faintest hope of success. In the meantime the miners throughout the country are preparing to quit work. There will be more before tonight, unless some unexpected event happens, in the situation more than a million men and boys now employed in the mines are idle now tens of thousands in other trades will be forced into a similar condition.

The leaders of miners were approached by Sir George Asquith with some of his colleagues of the board of trade and also several labor leaders of the house of commons with a view of finding a way to avert a crisis.

At the same time the coal owners gathered again at the foreign office where they conferred with Premier Asquith and several members of the cabinet.

Each side is now blaming the other for the failure in the negotiations. It is understood that the government has drafted a minimum wage, with safeguards to owners, and is ready to rush it through parliament in case of necessity.

All Go Out. Upwards of three quarters of a million coal miners had left down their tools and gone on strike by 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the day shift in the mines ended. The army of striking colliers swelled hourly throughout the morning when it became known that no settlement had been reached.

Meetings Held. Meetings were held by the coal miners' federation and the coal owners' association late in the morning, but they apparently only resulted in a postponement of the refusal of the participants to change from their respective positions. Further meetings are announced for this afternoon, but little is expected to result from them and as a consequence the cabinet which met this morning completed arrangements to hurry legislation which may prove necessary in order to compel a resumption of work.

## RUINS OF PLANT ON FIRE THIS MORNING

Fireman Called to Put Out Flames in Northern Malt Company's Elevator Recently Burned.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Chicago, Feb. 29.—Firemen were called to the plant of the Northern Malt Company here today to fight a fire which originally started on Feb. 28. A large part of the plant which contained thousands of bushels of grain was destroyed at that time. Until last Tuesday water was poured in to the smoldering ruins. Following the fire had been extinguished the firemen left two days ago, but flames leaped high when they were recalled today.

## THREE COACHES ARE TUMBLED INTO DITCH

Rock Island Train Has Mishap Near Davenport, Iowa, in Which Several Were Injured.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Davenport, Iowa, Feb. 29.—Three Pullman coaches of train number 6 on the Rock Island left the track at Okawana, Ill., this morning about six o'clock and tumbled over into a ditch. Several passengers were injured.

Fourteen Injured. St. Louis, Feb. 29.—Fourteen passengers were injured when a sleeper train of three cars on the Illinois traction system was derailed and overturned in a ditch at Mend, Ill., fifty miles northwest of St. Louis early today.

A report from the company's division headquarters at St. Louis, Ill., was that the most seriously injured, however, being a man whose nose was broken.

## CHURCH RIOT OVER CALLING OF PASTOR

Colored Congregation of Chicago Church Have Trouble Which Required Police Interference.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Chicago, Feb. 29.—Disunion among members of a colored church at Evanston over the calling of the Rev. William Fields to the pastorate led to a riot during services last night. There were no arrests but the pastor and several of the 400 members participating in the fight were badly bruised. Police quelled the riot.

"The congregation is said to have been about evenly divided on the calling of the Rev. Fields. Finally it was decided to have him preach a trial sermon last night. The pastor was little more than fairly launched in his discourse when one of his opponents mounted the pulpit and dragged him into the aisle. Then the entire congregation took up the fight and anonymous telephone messages summoned the police who had great difficulty in restoring quiet."

## INCREASED RETURNS IF FEED DOES COST

High Cost of Living Hits State Dairy Herd Which Responds, However, With Better Yields.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Madison, Wis., Feb. 29.—The high cost of living has hit the university dairy herd here, and figures supplied by Prof. F. W. Wolf of the college of agriculture show that in 1910-1911 it cost \$55.72 to feed each cow in the herd, an increase of nearly \$25 per cow over 1908-09. But notwithstanding this great increase, the cows yielded an average return above cost of feed of nearly \$50 per head.

The average production of the herd of twenty-two cows during the last two years was as follows: 1908-9—7,978.2 pounds milk and 322.51 pounds fat. 1910-11—8,536.3 pounds milk and 334.77 pounds fat.

The amount of butter fat would make about 312 and 414 pounds of commercial butter, respectively. With the exception of the year 1908-09, when the average production of butter from the herd reached 325.5 pounds, the production for both the last years was the highest reached since the establishment of the present herd in 1898. The value of the products for the two years was \$121.71 and \$111.41, the cost of the feed \$54.65 and \$55.72, and the net profit \$67.06 and \$55.69 for the two years noted, respectively. The total net returns from the herd for the last year were \$1,071.18.

## RIOTING SOLDIERS MARCH IN STREETS

Chinese Army Partially Disorganized and Marches Through Streets of City.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Peking, Feb. 29.—A revolt has broken out among a portion of Yuan Shi Kai's troops some hundreds of whom started a riot this evening at 8:00 o'clock. They wrecked and set fire to a number of houses and paraded the streets shooting indiscriminately. A strong force of loyal soldiers has been ordered out and is endeavoring to restore order in the city. The streets are crowded and the greatest alarm prevails among the inhabitants.

The mutineers at 9:30 o'clock this evening numbered about 2,000. Hundreds of shops already have been looted. Much reckless shooting occurred outside the Chienmen-Gate of the forbidden city near which the looting quarters is situated. Inside the city proper the situation is quieting. A shot fired from one of the guns in the hands of the mutineers fell within the confines of the American legation, but did not explode.

## SNEED JURY FAILS TO REACH VERDICT

Out One Hundred and Twelve Hours and Stand Seven to Five for Acquittal.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 29.—Standing seven to five for acquittal and five for conviction the jury which tried John Neal Sneed for the murder of Captain A. G. Boyce, the aged Panhandle cattle king, was discharged today. Sneed, a wealthy banker of Amarillo, Tex., had been charged with the murder of Captain Boyce in a Fort Worth hotel. The jury was out for 112 hours.

## MANY CANDIDATES IN OSHKOSH ELECTIONS

Twelve Men Want to be Mayor and Thirty-Two Commissioners This Spring.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 29.—The preliminary election for Oshkosh on March 19, under the new commission government system, will be a merry race as the closing time for nomination papers brings a total of twelve candidates for mayor and thirty-two candidates for the two commission positions. The list includes men in various occupations from an attorney to a school teacher.

## VACUUM OIL COMPANY VOTES TO INCREASE ITS CAPITAL

Stock to be Increased From \$2,500,000 to \$15,000,000—Purpose to Care for Indebtedness.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 29.—Stockholders of the Vacuum Oil Company, a former subsidiary of the Standard Oil Company, voted at a special meeting here today in favor of the proposition to increase the company's stock from \$2,500,000 to \$15,000,000. It is stated that the purpose of the increase is to take care of \$3,000,000 in indebtedness to the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and further finance the company. It is also in line with the announced policy of the former subsidiaries of the Standard Oil Company to increase their capital stocks to correspond more closely with their assets.

## MADISON ITALIANS OPPOSE WILSON FOR PRESIDENT

Find New Jersey Governor's Criticism of Certain Types of Italians Objectionable.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Madison, Wis., Feb. 29.—Local Italians held a meeting and went on record as opposing the nomination of Woodrow Wilson for the presidency, basing their objections upon Wilson's historical criticisms of certain types of Italian immigration. This action was taken in response to a suggestion of a Chicago newspaper editor.

## MORE OPERATIVES RETURNED TO WORK; ACTION BY UNIONS

May Be Taken Declaring Formally That Strike Exists and Appealing to Outside Aid.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 29.—More operatives were working in the various textile mills today than on any previous day of the big strike which is now in its eighth week. Power pickets were in evidence than usual and the police were given little trouble.

Prior to the departure of the seven-eleven train for Boston a crowd of about fifty persons gathered at the railway station in the belief that a party of children were to be sent away but when the crowds learned that the plans of the strikers had been changed, they soon dispersed.

Several lines of activity in connection with the strike were continued. Important among these was an investigation regarding the legal side of the matter in regard to the exportation of the children from the city.

A probable development was the formal declaration of the strike by the labor union of this city. Should such a resolution be passed, it was expected that a general call for funds would be issued to unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Need Food. The relief stations in various parts of Lawrence daily are becoming more crowded with applications for food. Before each of the stations early today there were several hundred hungry persons including a large portion of children.

## G. O. P. LEADERS OF WEST VIRGINIA MEET

Endorsement of Roosevelt in Predicted—Confident That Party Will Carry State Ticket.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 29.—Republican leaders representing nearly all of the counties of West Virginia assembled in conference here today to discuss the course to be followed in the coming national and state campaigns. So far as the State ticket this year is concerned the party leaders feel that an energetic campaign will result in a Republican victory, notwithstanding the confidence felt by most of the Democrats that they are going to sweep the State and add to the advantage they gained in the election of a legislature and four out of the five representatives in 1910.

Considerable uncertainty appears to surround the attitude of the Republican nomination. Until the past few weeks it was generally supposed that little or no opposition would develop and that the West Virginia delegation would cast its votes for the renomination of President Taft as a matter of course. The La Follette candidacy, even when at its fulcrum, appeared to make little impression upon the Republicans of this State. Roosevelt, however, has always had many admirers and supporters in West Virginia and it is reported that today a conference was called with a view of crystallizing the Roosevelt sentiment. This report is strengthened by the fact that the call for the conference was issued from the office of Governor Glasscock, who is an ardent Roosevelt man. In a statement issued last night Governor Glasscock declared that a careful canvass of the political situation in West Virginia had convinced him that the people of the State are overwhelmingly for Colonel Roosevelt for the Republican presidential nomination.

## LA CROSSE LABORER LEFT A SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT

Police Searching for Former Resident Who Was Left \$4,000 by His Brother.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 29.—The police are making effort to find Daanille Hilder, a former resident of this city who has fallen heir to an estate of \$4,000 upon the death of his brother. Hilder worked as a common laborer when a resident of this city.

## PRESIDENTS MILITARY AID GIVEN LEAVE OF ABSENCE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Washington, Feb. 29.—Major A. W. Holt, personal aid to President Taft, was today granted a leave of absence by the war department for one month and twenty-four days and on Saturday, will sail for the Mediterranean. The leave was granted on a surgeon's certificate.

## Pin Your Faith To The Little Want Ads

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## KNOX MUCH PLEASED WITH PANAMA VISIT

Secretary of State Left Panama This Morning to Travel Along Canal to Colon.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Panama City, Feb. 29.—Secretary of State Knox left here this morning at eight o'clock with the intention of making a leisurely trip to Colon, with frequent stops on the way for the purpose of inspecting the canal. When taking leave of the large party of governmental officials who accompanied him to the train, Mr. Knox told them that was immensely pleased with the cordiality of the welcome which he had been accorded.

Mr. Knox and his company will return on board the cruiser Washington this afternoon, when anchor will be raised and they will then proceed to continue their journey to the capital at San Jose at once.

The newspapers continued today to express friendly sentiment toward the United States and the appreciation of the Secretary of State's visit. The Panama city council adopted a resolution complimentary to be voted to Mr. Knox.

## MANY PERISH WHEN STORM HITS TEXAS

Men Lost While Striving to Aid Storm Bound Stock on Open Prairie—Trains Blocked.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Dalhart, Tex., Feb. 29.—At least seven persons in northwest Texas and eastern New Mexico lost their lives in a storm which swept across the Texas Panhandle. Sunday, passengers arriving on delayed trains here today told of two deaths at Amarillo, Tex. Two at Amarillo, one at Amarillo, New Mexico and one death near Dalhart. In each case the victims had gone on the range to care for cattle suffering in the blizzard.

## ROOSEVELT IS AGAIN WITH POLITICIANS

Reaches New York and Confers With Political Leaders at Outlook Office.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] New York, Feb. 29.—Back from his trip in Boston, Col. Roosevelt resumed work at his editorial office here today. It was his first day in New York since his announcement that he was willing to accept the presidential nomination, and a large number of politicians went to see him. Col. Roosevelt said he expected to remain in New York until tomorrow afternoon when he will go to Oyster Bay.

## MADISON BANKS TO BUILD NEW BLOCK?

Three Institutions Recently Consolidated, Reported to Have Fine New Building Under Consideration.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Madison, Wis., Feb. 29.—The erection of one of the largest business blocks in Madison is said to be contemplated by the three banks which have recently planned to consolidate—the Merchants and Savings, Capital City, and Bank of Wisconsin. Accounts are seeking options on the properties extending from the Avenue hotel on Monmouth avenue, covered by the MBS block on West Main street, embracing several mercantile houses. The frontage on the square is nearly a half block. Banking quarters, it is said, will be taken in the proposed building.

## BUSINESS PENETRATES CLASSIC BOUNDARIES

Extension of Retail Stores into University District at Madison.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Madison, Wis., Feb. 29.—The rapid extension of the retail district into the university quarter of the city of Madison in the last few years, has caused much unfavorable feeling on the part of residential owners in the community. The latest structure to encroach on the classical boundaries was a business block on State street, near Frances, two blocks from the campus. Now an investor will go on a hunch and propose to erect a business building on the Mahoney property at State and Lake streets, one block from the lower campus and library. A college book store will occupy one of the store rooms. Construction will start in a few weeks.

## MRS. AMES SECURES DIVORCE IN LONDON COURT TODAY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] London, Feb. 29.—Mrs. Kate Ames, who granted a decree of divorce today from her husband Hugo Ames, the author. Mr. Ames withdrew his defense to the suit. The divorce was claimed by Mrs. Ames on the ground of alleged misconduct and desertion.

## GREEN BAY REPORTS FIRE LOSS LESS IN PAST YEAR

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Green Bay, Feb. 29.—The fire loss in Green Bay, during 1911 was \$15,000 less than in 1910, according to figures just compiled by the chief of the fire department. There were 111 fires and the total loss was \$43,257 as compared to the 1910 total loss of \$58,200.

## CHILI BREWERY DESTROYED BY FIRE LOSS IN MILLIONS

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Valdivia, Chili, Feb. 29.—The brewery belonging to Anwandter Bros., the largest in South America was totally destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at five million dollars.

## BURLEY TOBACCO MEN HOLD LAST MEETINGS

Campaign for Ten Year Pool Ends With Meetings Covering Several States, Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Lexington, Ky., Feb. 29.—Meetings under the direction of the Burley Tobacco society are being held today in forty-six counties in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky to further the campaign for a ten-year tobacco pooling agreement which closes at midnight tonight. Efforts will be made at the meeting to induce owners of land to sign a pledge to pool their entire production with the society for ten years. Officials of the society estimate that about forty thousand farmers, producing an average of about three hundred million pounds annually, will have signed the pooling agreement when the final count is taken.

## ANARCHIST CRIMES TERRORIZING FRANCE

Two Arrested After Desperate Attempt to Assassinate Lawyer—Kill Policeman in Paris Streets.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Paris, France, Feb. 29.—An extraordinary series of automobile crimes which has been terrorizing France is believed to have been terminated by the arrest of two anarchists, one of them a Belgian, after a desperate attempt last night to assassinate a lawyer at Pontaise in the department of the Seine-et-Oise and to rob his residence. The criminals have been using a mysterious automobile in their operation. They recently killed a policeman, shot down and robbed a bank messenger by daylight in the streets of Paris and then drove off.

## MOTORMAN CONFESSES TO EXPRESS ROBBERY

With Aid of Another Man \$8,000 Is Taken From Wells Fargo Express Co. While It Is in Transit.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Philadelphia, Feb. 29.—After confessing that with the help of another man he had robbed the Wells-Fargo Express company of \$8,000, which was in transit from Pittsburgh to Butler, Pa., in a trolley car of which he was motorman, Kenneth H. Morton today was turned over to a Pittsburgh detective by the Philadelphia authorities. The name of the confederate was not made public.

## WILL NOT DROP SUIT AGAINST TUB TRUST

Judge Angell Denies Plea of Attorney for Defense in Criminal Case Against Alleged Combination.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Detroit, Mich., Feb. 29.—The plea of the attorneys for the defense in the government's criminal suit against the so-called bath tub trust, that the prosecution be dropped against all of the defendants because of lack of evidence was denied by Judge Angell today.

## HAITIEN REBELS IN SHARP ENGAGEMENT

Word Received From Frontier That Heavy Fighting Has Been Going on.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Cape Haitien, Haiti, Feb. 29.—Sharp fighting took place Tuesday at Talmien, Santo Domingo, between armed forces of revolutionaries and the Santo Domingo government troops. Of the revolutionaries 12 were killed and a large number wounded while the government troops had 22 casualties.

## DR. SEEGER RESIGNS FROM STATE BOARD

Member of State Board of Dental Examiners Hands in Resignation to Governor.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Manitowish, Wis., Feb. 29.—Dr. Charles H. Seeger, member of the Wisconsin State Board of Dental Examiners, of this city, has tendered his resignation to Gov. McMillan, the latter being filed at Madison today.

## ROOSEVELT'S FRIENDS WILL ORGANIZE SOON

General Committee to be Formed in Washington Next Week to Handle Campaign.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Washington, Feb. 29.—A general Roosevelt committee including in its membership Medill McCormick, Clifford Pinchot, Amos Pinchot, Senator Dixon of Montana, and probably James A. Garfield and other close friends of Col. Roosevelt will be organized in Washington early next week to take charge of the Roosevelt campaign here.

## THIRTY-SIX LIVES TO PAY FOR REVOLT AT MEXICAN PRISON

Twenty-Four Prisoners Executed This Morning For Prison Revolt in Which Six Men Were Killed.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Laredo, Mex., Feb. 29.—Thirty-six lives paid the penalty of yesterday's revolt in the penitentiary at Monterrey, Mexico, according to incoming passengers today. These passengers said that six of the prisoners were killed during the outbreak and twenty-five others, regarded as ring leaders, were executed at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. Many Prisoners. There were about three thousand prisoners in the institution. Last night, reports said, the warden of the penitentiary was among the slain. The passengers were unable to describe in what manner the remaining five victims were killed, but it is assumed they were among the number slain in the first rush of the revolting prisoners.

Not to Stop Arms. Washington, D. C., Feb. 29.—The United States will not prohibit legitimate exportations, including munitions of war from El Paso Texas, in the rebel town of Juarez, Mex. This conclusion was reached today at a conference among officials of the departments of state, justice and treasury.

The attitude of the United States government in dealing with Juarez is merely a relaxation of the policy adopted during the Madero revolution. Shipments of arms and ammunition which to all appearances are legitimately sent from a shipper in this country to a dealer in Mexico, will not be intercepted. Agents of the departments of justice and treasury on the southern border, have been instructed, however, to see that the neutrality of the United States is preserved.

## PATROL BORDER. TIJUANA, LOWER CALIFORNIA, FEB. 29.

From Algodones, on the Colorado river to Tijuana, Mexican troops are patrolling the international line night and day to prevent invasion by filibustering parties of Americans and Mexicans who are American citizens.

## BIG RIVER STEAMER DESTROYED BY FIRE

Boat on Mississippi River Burns to Water's Edge and Sinks.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] New Orleans, La., Feb. 29.—The large Mississippi river packet steamer "G. L. Todeau," burned to the water's edge and sank early today at St. Gabriel's, one hundred miles north of New Orleans. Eight negroes, members of the crew, are missing and are believed to have been drowned.

## VERMYLA TRIAL SET FOR MARCH FOURTH

Woman Indicted for Poisoning Police Man in Chicago to be Brought to Trial Soon.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Chicago, Feb. 29.—Mrs. Louise Vermyle, under indictment for the alleged poisoning of Arthur Blanshard, will go to trial before Judge George Kersten here, March 7.

## MAN WITH 3 WIVES GIVEN FIVE YEARS

Kansas Who Is Found Guilty of Bigamy Sentenced to Five Years in Penitentiary.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Emporia, Kans., Feb. 29.—Walter W. Crump of this city, who last Tuesday pleaded guilty to bigamy, today was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. Crump has three wives.

## ILLINOIS Y. M. C. A. OPEN CONVENTION TODAY

Ont Thousand Men Expected To Attend—Chancellor Strong Of Kansas To Give Address.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Peoria, Ill., Feb. 29.—Delegates representing the branches of the Young Men's Christian Association throughout Illinois have assembled here in force for the annual State convention, which opens tonight with addresses by Chancellor Frank Strong of the University of Kansas of Kansas and the Rev. Dr. J. W. Hamilton of St. Louis. The two days' program is one of the best ever prepared for a meeting of the organization in this state. A notable feature will be a dinner at the Coliseum, at which 1,000 are expected to attend.

## TWO NORMAL SCHOOLS ARE DISPUTING CHAMPIONSHIP

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 29.—The Oshkosh normal school representatives vigorously oppose the claims of state championship in basketball advanced by the Milwaukee normal school team, Milwaukee disregarding the fact that Oshkosh more than doubled the score on them in their second meeting here last Friday has claimed the title. Coach Manchester of Oshkosh, holds that everything in the line of comparative scores is in favor of the Oshkosh boys.

## MISSOURI BARS DEATH CUPS

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 29.—By order of the State Board of Health, all public drinking cups, towels and combs will be abolished after today on all trains in all railway stations in Missouri.















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Overdrafts	55.91
United States Bonds	75,000.00
Other Bonds	329,228.20
Due from banks	273,822.83
Cash	88,666.08
Due from U. S. Treasurer	362,488.69
	4,760.00
	1,455,603.45
LIABILITIES:	
Capital	\$125,000.00
Surplus	85,000.00
Undivided Profits	34,360.57
Circulation Outstanding	71,400.00
Deposits	1,119,842.88
	1,455,603.45

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FOR SALE—Twenty-six acres with buildings on Milwaukee road, one mile from city limits. Plenty of fruit and all kinds. This is a fine location. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Reason for selling is sickness. Harry Palfrey, R. R. No. 1.

ORIENTAL LUMBER and carpet cleaning a specialty, by power machine. Lawn mowers repaired. Spicer's general repair shop, 315 Lincoln St., phone 295.

**WINTER FAIR OPENS WITH BIG DISPLAY OF FARM PRODUCTS**

BETWEEN TWO AND THREE THOUSAND EXHIBITS ENTERED IN SHOW AT RINK.

**GRAIN IS A FEATURE**

Unusual Interest Has Been Aroused by Commercial Club and County Grain Association.

Janesville's big Mid-Winter Fair at the west side rink given under the auspices of the Commercial Club was auspiciously opened today with between two and three thousand exhibits. There was no class which was not represented by a fine lot of displays and the fair promises to be far superior to similar shows which were famous in the city ten or twelve years ago.

Secretary F. E. Lane and a corps of assistants from the Commercial Club were engaged this morning in placing the exhibits which were coming in thick and fast. There was a large number brought in yesterday and arranged on the tables which are placed around the entire building. Farmers came in with load after load of exhibits this morning and a few were unable to bring in their exhibits until this afternoon.

Tables Are Filled. All the tables were filled at two o'clock this afternoon and the overflow was arranged on the floor. The very best products of Rock County farms are to be seen at the fair. Prize-winning grain at several shows, wheat, oats, corn, barley, timothy seed, are all well represented. Tobacco which brought high prices is exhibited by successful growers. Vegetables including bumper potatoes, cabbages, beets, turnips, and other root vegetables taken from cellars which have withstood the freezing weather are on display.

In the needle-work department some beautiful specimens are shown. These include quilts, aprons, pillows, embroidery, knitting, lace and other kinds of fancy work. Mrs. Humpel will act as judge in this department.

The interest in the grain exhibit is especially keen as is shown by the large number of entries. It is estimated that there are several hundred bushels of grain of various kinds on display. The work done by the Rock County Grain Association as well as the Janesville Commercial Club is responsible for this interest which, it is estimated, will make Rock County one of the banner grain raising regions of the state and the nation.

A. Austin who was one of the organizers of the grain association in speaking of the exhibition said, "I am glad that the farmers have taken such an interest in this fair. It speaks well for the county. The grain association has received a special invitation from the National Growers congress to have an exhibition of Rock County grain to the show next year, for which no entry fee will be charged."

Honor to County. The invitation comes as a special honor to the county and as a recognition of this section as a banner-grain producing region. It is stated that the association will take action on the invitation as soon as possible as the entry lists are made up for the exhibition next winter within a short time.

Prof. B. D. Laith of the college of agriculture will be here tomorrow to judge the grain exhibit. He will also give an address at the rink tomorrow afternoon on grain and a large attendance is anticipated.

The attendance at the fair this afternoon was good considering the cold weather and the condition of the roads. Tomorrow and Saturday will be the banner days in point of attendance, however, and it is expected that the rink building will be filled to its capacity.

**STATEMENTS SENT TO MANUFACTURERS**

Janesville Firms Receive Papers From State Tax Commission to be Filled Out and Returned.

One of the first steps towards the collection of the income tax of the state is evidenced by the receipt by Janesville manufacturers of the return sheets which will guide the tax assessors in their work of making their assessments. A circular letter explaining the law requirements accompanies the various sheets which must be filled out and returned to the tax commission. One list has places for the total list of salaries of every employee where they are paid over seven hundred dollars a year.

**Voice of the People.**

To the Editor of the Gazette: Janesville, Wis., Feb. 20, 1912. In the Gazette of Feb. 28th there is an article by Vagabond, but I think he is a Jack Ass. If he is so afraid that the candidates will go wrong, why did he not get in the game himself? He seems to think he knows how everything should be done. The article is an insult to any intelligent person. Would it not be a good idea to call him a candidate and let him examine each candidate and then let Vagabond appoint a Mayor and two councilmen and then everything would be all right. I think it is a mistake to have an election. Just let Vagabond appoint them. JAMES CLOUGH, 330 South Pearl street.

**BRIEF PERSONAL MENTION**

George Olin has returned from Chicago, where he has been spending a few days.

P. H. Korat and E. J. Webber of the Janesville Electric Company, made a business trip to Rockford yesterday. Mrs. Arthur Ransom of Avon, is visiting friends in the city. Miss Lucile Craft is sick with pneumonia.

Sherman Brown of Footville, is visiting Karl and Carl Hinder. Fred Drafiak of Footville, visited Janesville yesterday.

T. P. Burns is away on a business trip to Chicago and eastern cities. Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Maher and son Edwin visited Mrs. William Dixon in Center, early in the week.

Maurice Smith, Walter Ains and H. Jones were entertained by Deloit friends last evening.

Dr. E. H. Dudley was in Deloit yesterday.

George Decker made a trip to Chicago Wednesday.

Mrs. H. W. Kellogg, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holt, and other relatives, left yesterday for her home in Hastings, Nebraska.

George A. Parker went to Madison this morning where he will be employed in the cycle establishment recently purchased by H. H. McDaniels.

Mrs. Marion Dow of Milton avenue broke her right arm in two places by falling down stairs. Her brother, Dr. Ralph Wheeler of Chicago, came up and took her home with him where she will have the best of medical attendance.

Mrs. J. P. Carlo of Washington street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Whittier, at Plattville.

Mrs. Ben Plowright and daughter of Menasha, are visiting Mrs. Plowright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, 200 14th avenue.

Mrs. G. H. Steinko is seriously ill at her home in the Town of Rock. Dr. Wanda is her attendant.

Mr. Harold Schwartz has just returned from a two weeks' trip to New York city.

Mrs. Stanley D. Tallman is visiting in Racine.

District Attorney Dunwiddie was called to Monroe on business today.

Hugh Sweeney of Edgerton, was a Janesville visitor Wednesday.

Bert Van Houten has returned from a three weeks' trip at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Mrs. Frank Ashby went to Chicago today.

John Peabody of Racine, was a business caller here Wednesday.

H. P. Priestly of Mineral Point, passed last evening in the city.

N. Schoenfeld was here from Monroe yesterday.

George Hall, who travels as a barber with Ringling Brothers shows, is calling on relatives and friends in the city. He learned his trade under Chief of Police Appleby and for many years ran a shop in Rockford. This last season he accompanied the show on its transcontinental trip.

C. Debraut of Oakdale, was registered at the Hotel Myers yesterday.

John P. Perkins of Cuba City, was a Janesville visitor Wednesday.

Paul H. Pratt was here from Port Atkinson, yesterday.

R. C. Wehdel of Brodhead, was here on a business trip Wednesday.

C. F. Hatch of Zenda, was registered at the Grand Hotel this morning.

Robert C. Bulkeley of Whitewater, spent yesterday in the city.

S. Richards is home from Sloan, Iowa, where he has been to attend the funeral of his niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith of Albany, are spending a few days with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. James Schilling.

R. H. Morris is seriously ill at his home on Fourth avenue.

Mrs. Nellie Walker left for Chicago this morning for a short visit.

P. J. Mount went to Chicago this morning on business trip.

Mrs. Anna Courneau is spending the day in Chicago.

Mrs. Roy McDonald was a Madison visitor yesterday.

Miss Mable Charlton is among the Janesville people in Chicago yesterday.

Willis Sutherland who received an appointment to Annapolis Naval Academy left for Washington last evening on his way to prepare for his examination.

S. B. Behlin transacted business in Milwaukee today.

Prod Green was a business visitor in Edgerton this morning.

Chester Morse left for Madison this morning.

Mrs. Rexavilla Brand who suffered a stroke of apoplexy last May and has been under the care of a nurse since is getting along nicely. She is being cared for by Mrs. Orlando at her home on Cornelia street.

Claude Ross of the town of Center, was here on business today.

Mrs. Belle Walker and daughter, Edithway at Watkiss, were visitors in this city today.

Anna Belcher, H. S. Thometz and J. H. McVicar returned last night from a three weeks' sojourn at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

**THREE SCHOOLS IN DEBATE ON FRIDAY**

Kenosha Affirmative Team Will Clash With Janesville Negative Team Here Tomorrow Evening.

"Resolved, that insofar as Wisconsin and Illinois are concerned, women should enjoy equal suffrage with men." This is the subject which will be debated on Friday evening of this week by the three schools—Janesville, Kenosha and Beloit.

The Kenosha affirmative will debate the Janesville negative at Janesville. The Janesville affirmative meets the Beloit negative at Beloit, and the Beloit affirmative debates the Kenosha negative at Kenosha. In the recent debates held on the 19th of last January, Kenosha succeeded in eliminating Racine, while Janesville and Beloit tied. However, in this triangular debate it is thought that one school will succeed in winning enough judges' decisions to determine the champions, and hence the Wisconsin representative in the interstate debate with Freeport, who now holds the championship of northern Illinois.

In the recent debate, the Janesville affirmative clashed with the Beloit negative and were beaten by a decision of two to one in favor of Beloit. However, in this debate the Janesville boys hope to turn the tables on the Beloit team and then "the who laughs last laughs best." In the Kenosha-Janesville debate it is hoped that Janesville may win and so secure the necessary four decisions to make them champions.

LARRY SULLIVAN SUFFERS EARLY RELAPSE FROM GRACE

Becomes Intoxicated Day After Let Out of Jail—Given Second Sentence—Charles Clark Arraigned.

Larry Sullivan, out of jail but a day, ventured to take one glass to assuage the thirst he had spent several days in accumulating, and as a result was arrested last night arraigned in court this morning, and sent back to jail. Judge Field sentenced him to a ten-day term plus a fine of \$15 or fifteen days additional.

Charles Clark, already guilty to a charge of intoxication and in default of a fine of \$3 and costs was sentenced to seven days in jail. He asserted that he had not been brought into court for eight years.

**NEW GOODS SALE.**

Great introduction of new spring goods at decided savings. A chance to economize.

J. M. HOSWICK & SONS.

**Not for the Poor Man.**

The girl who doesn't take care of her clothes is no wife for the poor man; she needs some one who can give her an unlimited dress allowance and a maid to look after her, says Home Chat. There is another point. If it is too much trouble to take care of her clothes before, it will be too much trouble to take care of her house-keeping stores after marriage, with the result that a large part of them are wasted.

**Language of Bonbons.**

"Will send me a box yesterday with a note saying it contained his sentiments for me." "What was it?" "A box of conserves, so I knew at once his sentiments were sweet and died."

**Skinned Bullheads**

Lb. 10c

Silver Herring, lb. 8c

Skinned Perch, lb. 12 1/2c

Canadian Pike, lb. 12 1/2c

Lake Superior Trout, lb. 12 1/2c

Halibut Steak, lb. 12 1/2c

Order your fresh fish early before the assortment is broken.

Coast Seal Oysters, qt. 45c

Smoked Whitefish, lb. 12 1/2c

Salt Holland Herring, lb. 8c

kg. 80c

Salt Whitefish and Mackerel.

Clam Chowder and Shrimp.

can 15c

Star Brand Luster, can. 25c

Imported Mushrooms, can. 35c

Genuine Boneless Codfish, lb. 15c

Smoked Halibut, lb. 22c

Smoked Boneless Herring, glass 10c

Vermicelli, Macaroni, Spaghetti and Noodles.

Full Cream Cheese, Brick and Limburger, lb. 22c

2 10c cans Snider's, Yours Truly or Columbia Baked Beans 15c

4 pkgs. Kook-Ote 25c

Uncle Sam's Breakfast Food, pkg. 20c

3 pkgs. Oatmeal 25c

7 lbs. bulk Oatmeal 25c

Black Walnuts and Butter, nuts, pk. 35c

Butterine, all grades, lb. 10c, 16c, 20c and 22c.

**ROESLING BROS.**

GROCERIES AND MEATS.

SIX PHONES—ALL 128.

**QUIETLY WEDDED AT BAPTIST PARSONAGE**

Miss Charlotte Alleen Tanberg and Harry W. Shoemaker Married Yesterday Afternoon.

Miss Charlotte Alleen Tanberg, daughter of George C. Tanberg, and Harry W. Shoemaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shoemaker, of the town of Janesville, were quietly married yesterday afternoon at four o'clock at the Baptist parsonage. The Rev. J. C. Huxen read the marriage service in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Jones, sister and brother-in-law of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker left last evening on a short wedding trip to Milwaukee and other points. They will make their home after April 1st near Adams, Minn., where Mr. Shoemaker has purchased property.

**COL. S. S. McCLEURE TO LECTURE AT VARSITY.**

Well Known Editor Will Discuss Causes of Political Corruption and Will Address Students in Journalism.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 20.—Col. S. S. McCleure, editor of McCleure's magazine will address the students of the University of Wisconsin, Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, in Room 165, University hall, on "Causes of Political Corruption." Col. McCleure in his magazine was the first to expose the wide spread graft and corruption in municipal and state politics, and has always taken a keen interest in movements to eliminate dishonesty in affairs of government. During his stay in Madison he will address the students in the course in Journalism and will be the guest of the Political Science Club at their meeting on Thursday evening.

**Golden Loaf high grade Minnesota Patent \$1.45**

White Lily Fancy Patent \$1.35

Golden Eagle Salmon, Special Price, Can 15c

Choicest Eating Potatoes in city, guaranteed not frosted, bushel \$1.20

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**BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.**

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TODAY'S EVANSVILLE NEWS

ADDITION IS MADE TO TEACHING FORCE

Miss Edna Jacobson Employed by Evansville School Board to Take Charge of Backward Students

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Evansville, Feb. 20.—Miss Edna Jacobson has been employed as a special teacher to help the retarded pupils and relieve the crowded condition in the grades. Miss Jacobson works in the first five grades. This is considered a wise provision of the school board, as a little personal attention from the teacher to pupils who for any reason find it difficult to keep up with their class, greatly encourages them and often enables them to succeed where they would otherwise fail.

The girls' English club and the boys' debating team met Friday afternoon at 2:40. Visitors are welcome.

Ruth Acheson, who has been absent because of illness since Christmas, called at the school Wednesday. Miss Acheson will not be able to return to her school work this year.

J. B. Jordan, assistant state superintendent, visited the high school Wednesday and expressed himself as very well satisfied with conditions.

Evansville Locals.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Patten moved into their new home on South Madison street Tuesday.

Thomas Bryan is suffering from an attack of grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson of Hollet, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Walker of Brooklyn, Leslie Holford of Hollet and Miss Margaret Dreesback of Verona, are the out of town relatives who attended the funeral of Valentine Dreesback.

Will Hatfield has rented his farm, situated two miles west of Evansville, to Charles Hodge. Mr. Hatfield will sell his stock and farm machinery next Tuesday, March 5th, at a public sale. Later he will move to Evansville to live.

The many friends of Mrs. William Miles will be glad to learn that she is somewhat better and it has been decided not to operate on her ear. Mrs. Miles has been suffering for several weeks from an abscess in her head.

Misses Grace and Loraine Howard of Hollet spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. Louis Spencer.

Miss Nellie Sherman of Albany is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sherman.

Janice Sherman was a Madison visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Emma Van Patten and daughter, Gladys, were Janesville shoppers Tuesday.

Edmund Hubbard and family of Hollet visited his parents and sister from Saturday until Tuesday. Mr. Hubbard has recently recovered from a very severe attack of pneumonia.

Robert Acheson of Magnolia was in town Wednesday.

Miss Olive Clayton has been absent from school this week on account of illness.

Mrs. O. C. Colony and Mrs. Gladys Gabriel visited the high school Wednesday.

Robert Antea goes to school on crutches as a result of injuries received in a game of basketball played in Janesville.

Max Phillips is taking seven studies, three freshmen, two sophomores, one third year and one outside study, and doing excellent work in all of them. This young man is the son of Russian parents who have lived in Evansville for several years.

G. H. Howard of Magnolia and Dr. Ward attended the boxing match in Janesville Monday.

There were many pupils absent Monday on account of the severe storm, and some of the pupils from the country did not get in until Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L. Wright has moved from the Kuepper home on Third street, to Charles Davis' house on West Main street.

ELECTED OFFICERS OF HUMANE SOCIETY

Harry Blakely Chosen President of Evansville Humane Society—Father McDermott Speaks.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Evansville, Feb. 20.—A large and appreciative audience were present at the meeting of the Humane Society, Tuesday evening. Rev. Father McDermott gave a very interesting talk on "What the Milwaukee Schools are Doing to Help the Humane Societies," how the children are being taught to love the dumb animals, and to do all they can in promoting the good cause. Following the speech the election of officers for the coming year was held, the following officers being elected:

President—Harry Blakely.

Vice President—Mrs. Edwin Patterson.

Treasurer—Geo. Pullen.

Humane Officer—Durr Tolson.

Father McDermott was appointed delegate in Father Fitzgerald's place. At the close of the meeting dainty light refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in a very social way.

Terrible Cough.

Miss Lavern Gillies entertained the Tourists' Club at her home last evening. Ison's "The Master Bull," was taken up for discussion. Miss Ethel Lown being leader. Following this the guests partook of a dainty luncheon.

Personal Mention.

First La Grippe, Then Bronchitis.

Such was the case with Mrs. W. S. Bailey, McCroary, Ky. "My wife was taken down with a severe attack of la grippe, which ran into bronchitis. She coughed as tho' she had consumption and could not sleep at night. The Doctor's medicine gave her no relief and I was advised to try Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. The first bottle gave her so much relief that she continued using it and three bottles effected a permanent cure." Mr. W. S. Bailey says he is prepared to answer all inquiries promptly. Badger Drug Co.

CLIFTON FISH OF FOOTVILLE WAS HERE WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Bruce Meyers is quite ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. Cameron of Janesville was a recent business visitor here.

Dr. Cook of Madison is visiting at the home here at Union.

Miss Lou Howard entertained a few friends at the birthday dinner party Wednesday evening. Those present were Misses Anna Boyce, Ruth Horsey, Neva Smith, Marshall Lovelace, Miss Finn and Vinile Haynes.

Stanley Reese, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Reese is quite ill.

A very interesting meeting was held in the Free Baptist church last evening. Mrs. Cooley was leader and gave a very interesting talk.

Chris Jorgensen is in Chicago for a few days.

Supr. Antield visited the city schools Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Kleinsmith is on the sick list.

R. M. Richmond was at Janesville yesterday.

Mrs. E. A. Schmalz entertained about twenty members of the Embroidery club at her home in the Eager flats this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wolfe Sr. Entertained at Family Dinner Last Evening—Other News.

Evansville, Feb. 20.—Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. George Wolfe Sr. entertained at a family dinner, the occasion being their 40th wedding anniversary. A most delicious three course dinner was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hill from Madison, Mr. and Mrs. Allen and son Alvin, Mr. and Mrs. George Wolfe, Jr., and daughter Winnie, and Miss Laura Hill.

Prohibition Meeting.

Saturday afternoon very interesting talks will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Taynton on the following subjects: "A Prohibition Congress," "The Present Crisis," "Woman as a Voter." The public is very cordially invited to attend this meeting, Saturday afternoon at the Methodist church.

Royal Neighbors.

About forty Royal Neighbors were entertained at the country home of Mrs. Fred Fellows today. A most enjoyable day was spent and a sumptuous dinner served to the lodge.

Taken to County Jail.

The tramps who caused so much trouble here Sunday night, and have since been lodged in the city jail, were taken to Janesville Wednesday afternoon by officers Fred Gilman and C. C. Broughton.

Given Apron Shower.

About twenty ladies from Cookville, very pleasantly surprised Mrs. Henry Morgan, at her home on Main street, Wednesday afternoon. The event was an apron shower, and many very dainty and pretty aprons were presented to the hostess. A most delightful time was had by the guests.

Reading Circle.

The Reading Circle of the Congregational church will meet next Tuesday evening, at the pastor's study.

Local News.

David Johnson returned to his home at Sun Prairie, Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Clifford has resigned her position with the Calorie Co. of Janesville and has accepted a similar one with the Baker Mfg. Co. of this city.

Mrs. Clarence Walker is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Johnson.

Harry De Jean of Janesville, was a recent business visitor here.

Fred Franklin and Chas. Doolittle, have returned from a business trip to Chicago.

MILTON JUNCTION PUPILS GAVE A FAREWELL PARTY.

Pleasant Gathering for Eddie Wright Who Will Move From Village.

Other News.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Milton, Junction, Feb. 20.—The Freshman Class of the High School, gave a party last night in honor of their classmate, Eddie Wright. He is to move soon with his parents on a farm near Whitewater.

The party took the form of a masquerade as all dressed to represent some book character or some nation. This caused much merriment guessing who was who. After the masks were removed games and marches were enjoyed. Before going home refreshments were served.

Local News.

Howard Cottrell left Wednesday morning for Iowa, where he is to work on a farm.

Bonnie Bassett is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brooks.

W. E. Cookley returned yesterday from an extended visit in Whitewater.

G. B. Keith was a Janesville caller Wednesday.

J. M. Galagan and family have rented the Mrs. Charlotte Hubcock house.

Mrs. C. W. Thiry is on the sick list.

Miss Taylor gave two recitations before the High School Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jas. Moriarty is ill.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. A. B. West, Tuesday afternoon.

Italy Arrow went to Janesville yesterday and underwent an operation at Mercy hospital today.

Clara Hill has had to give up school on account of her health.

LIVE STOCK MARKET IN DECLINE TODAY

Cattle Go Down From Ten to Fifteen Cents While Hogs and Sheep Are Down Ten Cents.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Chicago, Feb. 20.—There was a general decline on the live stock market this morning. Hogs, cattle and sheep all felt the depression which forced prices down fully ten cents for all grades. Heavy receipts throughout the list is one of the causes for the slump. Cattle receipts were estimated at 10,000 while hogs at 41,000 was the most in several weeks. Trading was generally slow. Prices are as follows:

Cattle. Cattle receipts—9,000. Market—Slow generally; 10c@15c lower. Light—6.15@6.45. Heavy—5.90@6.00. Texas steers—1.60@1.90. Western steers—1.50@1.70. Stockers and feeders—1.40@1.60. Cows and heifers—1.15@1.45. Calves—3.75@4.25.

Hogs. Hog receipts—11,000. Market—Dull generally; 10c lower. Mixed—6.15@6.45. Heavy—6.15@6.45. Light—6.15@6.45. Pigs—1.60@1.85. Bulk of sales—6.30@6.45.

Sheep. Sheep receipts—20,000. Market—Steady; 10c lower. Wethers—3.25@4.30. Western—3.75@4.80. Yearlings—1.90@5.75. Lambs, native—1.50@1.95. Lambs, western—1.50@2.00.

Butter. Butter—Steady. Creamery—25@28. Dairy—22@26. Eggs. Eggs—Weak. Receipts—1514 cases. Cases at market included 21@23. Firsts, ordinary—23@24. Firsts, prime—24@27.

Cheese. Cheese—Steady. Daisies—17 1/2-18. Twins—16 1/2-17. Young Americans—17 1/2-18. Long Horns—17 1/2-18. Potatoes. Potatoes—Steady. Receipts—61 cars. Wisconsin potatoes—105@110. Michigan potatoes—108@110. Minnesota potatoes—109@110.

Poultry. Poultry—Firm. Turkeys—live 14; dressed 18. Chickens—live 15; dressed 16. Springs—live 15; dressed 16 1/2. Veal. Veal—Steady. 50 to 60 lb. wt.—7@11.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. Wheat. May—Opening 102 1/2-3/4; high 103 1/2; low 102 1/4; closing 102 3/4. July—Opening 97 1/2-3/4; high 97 3/4; low 96 1/2; closing 96 3/4.

Corn. May—Opening 69 1/2-3/4; high 69 3/4; low 69 1/4; closing 69 3/4. July—Opening 69 1/2-3/4; high 69 3/4; low 69 1/4; closing 69 3/4. Oats. May—Opening 52 1/2-3/4; high 53 1/4; low 52 1/4; closing 52 3/4. July—Opening 48 1/2-3/4; high 49; low 48 1/4; closing 48 3/4.

Rye. Rye—90 1/2. Barley. Barley—100 1/2-130. JAMESVILLE WHOLESALE MARKETS. Janesville, Wis., Feb. 20, 1912. Feed. Oil meal—\$2.10@2.25 per 100 lb. Oats, Hay, Straw. Straw—\$7.50@8.00. Baled and Loose Hay—\$18@20. Hay—50 lb. bag, 90c@1.00. Bran—\$1.40@1.45. Middlings—\$1.45@1.55. Oats—40c@50c. Corn—35@37.

Poultry Markets. Turkeys—150 lb. Hens—100 lb. Springers—100 lb. Old Roosters—80 lb. Ducks—110 lb. Hogs. Different grades—\$5.50@5.00. Steers and Cows. Veal—\$5.50@7.00. Beef—\$3.50@3.00. Sheep. Mutton—\$4.00@3.50. Lambs, light—\$4.00. Butter and Eggs. Creamery—24c. Dairy—21c@27c. Eggs—Fresh, 28c. Potatoes 90c. Carrots—60c bu. Parsnips—75c bu. Beets—60c bu. Rutabagas—50c bu. Purple Top Turnips—50c bu.

FISH. Fish of Many kinds and Varieties for Tomorrow on Market Today. Fresh and salt fish of all kinds is offered today at the same prices as last week on the local market. Some of the dealers have extra quantities of fish which sell at slightly higher prices than the regular grade does but the rest of the list is quoted about as it was before. This list does not include the old standbys such as codfish and salmon which are always on the market with very little variation in price or quality.

Vegetable oysters have gone up to eight cents a bunch today instead of five cents charged before, and carrots have also raised being now 2 1/2 cents a pound. All of the spinach is practically gone today. In the apple market the Gillflowers have about given out although there are still plenty of the other varieties. Winesaps dropped a cent today being four cents a pound. Some dealers are selling fresh eggs of the best kind at thirty cents a dozen.

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but most of them have to charge thirty two for them. Today's prices are as follows:

Fish. Smoked Whitefish—12 1/2c@15c lb. Salt Mackerel—10c each. Skinned Bullheads—10c lb. Silver Herring—8c lb. Skinned Perch—12 1/2c lb. Trout—12 1/2c lb. Pike Dressed—15c lb. Halibut steak—12 1/2c lb. Oysters—16c quart. Smoked Halibut—22c lb. Smoked Blunters—3 for 10c. Salt Holland Herring—8c lb.

Vegetables. Carrots—2 1/2c lb. Fresh Carrots—5c bunch. Parsnips—3c lb. Potatoes—1.20 bu. Green Peppers—5c each. Squash—15c. Yellow Onions—6c lb. Cauliflower—8c@20c. Red Onions—6c lb. Cabbage—4c lb. Lettuce—5c bunch. Head lettuce—12 1/2c. Celery—7c stalk. Vegetable Oysters—8c bunch. Beets—1 1/2c@2 1/2c lb, 20c pk, bunch 10c. Shallots—10c bunch. Parsley—5c bunch. Rutabagas—2 1/2c lb. Radishes—8c bunch. Yellow String Beans—20c lb. Chives—5c bunch. Cauliflower—8c each. Kohi Rabi—10c. Brussels Sprouts—22c box. Cucumbers—22c.

Fresh Fruit. Apples—Jonathan, 5c lb.; Kings 6c lb.; Greenings, 6c lb.; Russets, 6c lb.; Baldwin, 6c lb.; White Saps, 4c lb.; Byles, 5c lb. Apples—Box, \$1.75@2.75. Cranberries—10c@12c. Lemons—10c@20c. Imported Malaga—20c lb. Lemons—30c doz. Grape Fruit—5c, 7c, 4 for 25c; 10c, 3 for 25c; 13c, 2 for 25c; 15c each. Naval Oranges—15c@45c doz. Tangerines—20c@30c doz. Pineapples—15c each. Florida Oranges—25c, 30c, 35c, 40c and 45c. Florida Naval Oranges, 55c dozen.

Butter and Eggs. Creamery—24c. Dairy—21c@27c. Eggs—30c@32c, dozen. Butter—18c@21c. Flour, Nuts and Popcorn. Flour, per sack—\$1.35@1.70. Buckwheat Flour—40c sack. Rye Flour—30c@70c per sack. Popcorn—Shelled 7c lb.; 4 for 25c. Popcorn on Cob—5c lb., 6 lbs. 25c. Cornmeal—10 lb sack, 25c@30c. Whole Wheat Flour—10 lb sack, 35c; 12 lb sack, 55c; 6 lb sack whole wheat 35c. Cocoanuts—10c.

Hickory Nuts—5c@7c lb; 50c pk. English Walnuts—50c lb. Black Walnuts—10c@35c pk., \$1.00 bushel. Chestnuts—15c@20c lb. Brazil—20c. Almonds—20c lb. Filberts—20c. Pecans—15c@18c. Popcorn—5c. Honey—Comb 22c. Honey—Strained, quart 50c; pails 50c; 6 oz. glass 12c.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Elgin, Ill., Feb. 20.—Butter was quoted at 28c, an advance of one cent. The output for the week was 72,500.

ORFORDVILLE. Orfordville, Feb. 20.—While in Beloit Tuesday, Orrin Ovestad purchased a good span of grays, coming four and five and weighing about 1200 pounds each. They will make a first class work team. Orrin is preparing to go to Canada in about a month to work his father's farm this summer near Dauphin, Manitoba. His mother will accompany him for the benefit of her health for two or three months. During her absence her daughter, Miss Mary, will minister to the needs of the part of the family remaining at home.

On Wednesday, Feb. 28, Carl Dolan and Karlene Kristoferson were married at the Luther Valley church by the Rev. J. A. Bergh. Quite a number of relatives and friends were present at the church and a larger gathering at the home of the bridegroom, where a bountiful wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Dolan will make the Sprague farm their home. They have the best wishes of the community.

Edward Reeder visited his brother Harry at Clinton the first of the week. Marvin Beck spent Tuesday in Beloit.

Simon Strouss, who has been confined to the home the past three months is now able to be out again a little while at a time.

Amund Haugen of Fergus Falls, Minn., a brother of E. N. Haugen, is on a business and pleasure trip here and at Beloit this week.

Ole Dahlen is ill with the grip. Misses Hilda and Anna Bothum of Janesville are visiting in the village the guests of their sister, Mrs. Samuel Onsgard and others.

Wolf and Fish Story. Some time ago a northern golfer drove a ball a fine, low, skimming shot across a river. Just as the ball was nearly over a salmon leaped at the ball and caught it in its mouth. Such was the pace of the ball that it carried the salmon on to the river's bank, where it was immediately secured, with the ball tightly wedged in its teeth.—Golf Illustrated.

Triumphant Automobile. A Mahanyunk woman found a chunk of rubber, a piece of automobile tire, in a sausage. In every way the automobile is supplanting the horse.

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Anybody in Mind? When the gods would destroy they first make mad.—Nashville American.

The Sound Sleep of Good Health is not for those suffering from kidney ailments and irregularities. The prompt use of Foley Kidney Pills will dispel backache and rheumatism, heal and strengthen sore, weak and ailing kidneys, restore normal action, and with it health and strength. Mrs. M. P. Applebury, Sterling, Ill., says: "I suffered great pain in my back and kidneys, could not sleep at night, and could not raise my hands over my head. But two bottles of Foley Kidney Pills cured me. Foley Kidney Pills have cured my heartiest endorser." Badger Drug Co.

To Reverse Woman. The inexplicable, inherent and ineradicable habit of women of nighting backward from a car is expected by a Colorado trolley manager to be cured by the placing of mirrors on car doors so that the fair passengers will feel impelled to face forward to see if their hat is on straight before they alight. As a device for delaying traffic this will be a conspicuous success.

Series of Lower Animals. Most animals, such as the fox, the wolf and the rabbit, find their way back to their lairs by a combination of sight, memory and smell. The fox could smell his way home if he were suddenly struck blind.

"Just Say" HORLICK'S It Means Original and Genuine Malted Milk The Food-drink for All Ages. More healthful than Tea or Coffee. Agrees with the weakest digestion. Delicious, invigorating and nutritious. Rich milk, malted grain, powder form. A quick lunch prepared in a minute. Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S. Others are imitations.

BOCK BEER Season Now On For this delicious Spring treat. Remember Bock Beer time comes but once a year and don't forget the season is short and sweet. Be sure that you have BUOB'S BOCK BEER IN BOTTLES Order a case at once for home use—and for All the Family. Delivered to any part of the city in cases of two or three dozen small bottles or cases of two dozen large bottles. A Little Story About How Bock Beer Derives Its Name "Bock" Beer derives its name from Elmbock Beer, from Elmbock (now Einbock) Germany, formerly noted for its fine beers. The present custom of serving Bock Beer, popularly associated with the goat (German Bock) at the opening of the spring season, comes from the time when, owing to the lack of proper refrigeration, brewing was not carried on during hot weather. The new beer, which was first served about Easter time, had aged in the cellars from early fall, and was naturally stronger, and was brewed richer and fuller of flavor, as a gift or haul sent from the brewer to his customers. M. BUOB BREWING CO. BOTH PHONES 141/ PROMPT DELIVERIES

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# WOMAN'S PAGE

## HEART AND HOME TALKS

BY BARBARA BOYD

### A Work Some Girls Are Doing in Lent

**T**HOSE who observe Lent not only practice certain self-denial, but often they like to take up some special work appropriate to the season. Calling upon some sick person every day, making clothes for the needy, visiting the poor, reading to the blind, all these things have been done during the Lenten season from time immemorial. And they have done much good. But they are rather haphazard. They are often the result of personal initiative, and so do not seem quite as well directed or purposeful, as a work many are taking up this year, as a Lenten activity. This is the social service work that is being inaugurated in connection with the free dispensaries of many hospitals. In one of the large cities, the season's debutantes have banded together and offered to help in this field.

In some cities, this work has been going on for several years. In others, it is just starting. And in many, it has not yet begun. In time, however, it will no doubt become a part of all hospital practice. It grew out of the free dispensary work, for those in charge of this noticed that the help given seemed to bring only temporary results, and that in many cases, those assisted were soon back. It was resolved to follow those people into their homes, and find out what were the conditions there that worked against recovery. At first, volunteers only, did this work, though now, trained social workers are more and more taking it up. But the field is so tremendous that it will be a long time before volunteers will not be needed.

As a work for those who want something of this kind to do during Lent, nothing could be better. The worker is sent immediately where there is a need, and there is an organization back of her with all that is necessary to make her work successful. Not only this, but there is expert knowledge to know what is needed and what is the best thing to be done. One is aiming directly at a mark. No effort or ammunition is wasted. Nor is the case dropped until all that can be done is done. And too, one feels that he is working with an army, not alone, and perhaps blunderingly, or with few weapons.

So that this is a splendid work for those who wish to take up something of charitable nature during Lent. And for the society that it is more than this, for it will make her realize, as perhaps she never has before, how the other half lives. She will come to see that life is not all dances and flowers and pretty dresses, come to see it in a way that will build this knowledge into her character. And she will be a broader-minded, more thoughtful girl because of this experience. She will have a better comprehension of life, and of what is required of her to worthily play her part in it.

Barbara Boyd



EASTERN PLUMAGE ON A WESTERN GIRL

New York City.—The striking feathers to be used in Spring novelties in the fur coat continue to be of which this is a sample—reflected in our fashions. The new have a distinct Oriental touch.



SOMETHING NEW IN BLOUSES

New York City.—This suggestion offers a suggestion to the home dress-maker which will readily be appreciated, especially by the woman who finds herself obliged to remodel last season's wardrobe. A plain shirt pattern will serve admirably as a means of modeling the face portion of this blouse with cutaway yoke. This part of the garment is made separate and worn over a plain slip of net, the short sleeves of which are finished with double pleatings of lace like that used on the lace overblowing of waist and yoke, and a tiny bow of the same with buttons trims the front, closing.

## The Kitchen Cabinet



**W**HAT we call little things are merely the causes of great things. One single black speck may be the beginning of gangrene, of a storm, of a revolution.

### ONE-TALENT PEOPLE.

Lincoln said: "The Lord must have loved the one-talent people, for he made so many of them."

We are too prone to look at talents as accomplishments, like painting, singing or being a good musician, forgetting that there are talents of far more lasting quality which are hardly recognized as such.

A dear little Quaker woman once made the remark that she would rather have mortified this epitaph on her tomb stone than any she ever knew: "She was easy to live with." Being easy to live with is a talent worth cultivating and one which is all too rare.

If our children today might be taught that to be agreeable and companionable, unselfish and thoughtful of others are qualities far more valuable in life than being able to speak seven languages.

We need to teach our daughters that the humble, though exalted, profession of home-making is more desirable than the superficial accomplishments which take their time, strength and interest.

The object of the profession of home-making is a comprehensive one, to raise the ideals of home-making in one, to make housekeeping an inspiring profession instead of drudgery, to make the daily task in the home entertaining as bridge whist.

To make the housekeeper's allowance go as far as possible that the best things of life may not be left out.

To promote the household welfare and insure domestic tranquility.

To develop in each child all the perfection of which he is susceptible, mentally, morally and physically.

The profession of home-making is becoming more and more difficult each year, and the young women who expect to enter the profession untrained will be the ones who in the future will figure in the divorce courts.

Nellie Maxwell

## DIET AND HEALTH HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN  
Food Specialist

### WASTE MATTER IN WHOLE WHEAT BREAD BENEFICIAL.

The London Lancet, the greatest medical journal in the world, has expressed the opinion that the great increase in appendicitis in Britain is due to the increased use of fine white bread. Appendicitis results from the putrefaction in the large intestine of masses of incompletely digested food. No one can doubt the tendency of fresh white bread to mass and putrefy.

I have said that peanuts should not be roasted because albumen, of which the peanut largely consists, coagulates at 100 degrees, and is then assimilated with difficulty. The same applies to wheat gluten. A large percentage of the gluten with the indigestible matter in whole wheat bread is excreted. Starch is one element of food that is improved by cooking; when thoroughly cooked it is more fully assimilated than any other food element, except sugar. It is natural to suppose, then, that a larger percentage of waste should be excreted from whole wheat than from white bread. But it does not follow that the white bread is better than the brown.

A certain amount of waste matter in the food is beneficial, stimulating naturally the action of the intestine. No one familiar with the physiology of digestion advocates predigested or highly concentrated foods.

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## Scrap Books for Recipes

There has been a considerable call for scrap books in which to preserve the recipes and household hints, appearing daily on the Woman's page of The Gazette and a supply of them are being prepared for those who wish them. Much of value is contained in these various articles and the housewife can save the items which most appeal to her with the Scrap Book made for this purpose.

It can be secured by clipping three of the coupons appearing in the paper daily and presenting them at the office or by sending 2 cents in stamps with the coupon where it is to be forwarded by mail.

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Feb. 29, 1912.



THE SILK TAILOR-ED SUIT

New York.—Afternoon street costume of silk are to be exceedingly smart this spring. Taffetas will be a reigning favorite, but the heavier silks, like bengaline and silk serge will be equally favored. The suit illustration shows a vest of one of the best imported models of the season. The skirt, less than two yards in width is cut with a center front and back seam and is untrimmed. The short coat with postillion effect back is simply trimmed with simulated buttonholes of silk and covered buttons of same material. A round collar of the same blue shade as the silk.

### UP-TO-DATE HOUSEKEEPING.

Spring Cleaning no Longer a Bugbear—Where a Woman's Time Goes.

By Alice E. Whitaker.

At spring cleaning time the attic and cellar were points of attack for the old-fashioned housekeeper. When she had the apple barrels and vegetable bins emptied, the earthen floor of the cellar swept and the walls given a coat of whitewash, she felt well satisfied.

Before that date the attic had disgorged its bundles and board of old clothes, some merely out of date and others too shabby to wear but too good to give away according to the thrifty woman's opinion. Generally all these things went back again to wait for another annual upheaval.

Very different from this strenuous treatment which was given to the whole house is the light or fly spring cleaning of a modern apartment. The lace or muslin draperies may be taken down and laundered to be rehung, or laid away until fall, according to the locality where one lives.

There may be a few blankets sent out to be cleaned and if there is no vacuum available some rugs may go to be steam cleaned.

The woman who lives in a whole house has yet something to do in getting it into shape for summer but she now has the habit of seeing to repairs whenever they are needed.

Perhaps in midwinter she has a room papered; the chair that needs attention receives it at once because there is no attic where broken down furniture can be set away and forgotten. The semi-annual upsetting of the house when men and children fled from the confusion, belongs to the past. The modern housewife manages differently.

The query sometimes rises of how women spend the time that is saved by not having old time drudgery to do. Many demands are now on women's time and some of them are imperative and worthy. For instance children formerly went to school to school to study as well as to reside, and the mother's duty was done if she sent them to school cleanly dressed and carrying a full lunch basket.

Possibly she helped a little now and then on some difficult point in their lessons but she left the school work to the care of the teacher. Now school children have about three hours of home study and parents adjust life during the school term to these requirements.

Every woman should belong to one or two good women's clubs. One may be a sort of culture club with some social features. Then a woman does not do her duty as a citizen. If she does not interest herself in the club that works for civic improvement.

The demands of the church are now as always, to be heeded and one cannot be entirely deaf to the calls of charitable associations. Certain social duties cannot be set aside lightly even in the most humble circumstances.

## The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON

**M**Y friend," said Mrs. Louisa Noble, "you and I and Fred, young, heedless, cynical, living in this reckless town of New York, may laugh sometimes at old things like the law and religion when they say 'thou shalt not.' We may think that phrase was written for old fogies. And we may sneer at 'The wages of sin is death.' But my friend, there comes to all of us sometimes the knowledge that the law and religion are right. WHAT THEY SAY WE SHALL NOT DO—THAT WE CANNOT DO WITHOUT SUFFERING. I have learned that. Also I have learned that the wages of sin is death. It's worse than death—it's a hell on earth."

Louisa Snyder was the wife of Walter Snyder, a New York millionaire. After eight years of marriage she decided that she was miserable and eloped with Frederick Noble, a plumber. Mr. Snyder divorced her and she married Mr. Noble. After living together less than six months, less than three weeks after their marriage, these two unhappy people committed suicide. And the reason for this act was that they had found that the love (?) which caused them to defy conventions and morality, which they looked upon as an eternal affinity decreed by God and nature, and not to be denied, no longer existed. The monotony and common-places of ordinary married life had killed this love, which was so great that they were willing to sacrifice everything to it, in less than three weeks.

Probably you know most of these facts. They were chronicled widely enough. I am merely relating them for those who did not chance to read them, and recalling them for those who did.

In the words I have quoted, I think Louisa Snyder preached a powerful sermon as any minister ever gave. For the minister tells us that the wages of sin is death, because that is what he believes. She tells us that because she knows. She had received that wages, and more than that—a hell on earth.

In an ordinary married life, where the marriage is between two people who love each other dearly, where there is a reasonable degree of prosperity, where there are many friends and many interests and activities to add to the happiness of both parties, there is, nevertheless, much stress and strain upon the affection that these two feel. There are times when the irritating little cares of married life grow irksome, there are days when one wears upon the other, there are moments when tempers flare up and things are said that should not be.

Now tell me, if there is all this stress and strain in normal married life where there is everything to favor happiness, what will there be in that union, which, by defying conventions, has thrown away standing and friends and the joys of a lawful respected domestic hearth with happy children about it, and very likely material prosperity to boot?

In every married life, the lovers' love, in which passion is a prime element, must gradually change. The love may become the affection of habit, which one feels for anyone with whom he lives. It may cool into something little more than mutual convenience. It may degenerate into actual dislike. It may develop into sweet and enduring friendship and tenderness, which to me is the most beautiful love on earth.

What chance is there for this happy outcome in a marriage like that of Louisa Snyder and her affinity?

"Affinity," Earle couldn't live with his first wife because he decided they weren't mated. He broke up his home and made his little child fatherless to go to his "affinity," Julia Kuttner, whom he said was his true soul mate. In about ten years she appeared in the divorce courts, testifying that her soul mate choked and beat her.

"But, my friend," says Louisa Noble, "there comes to all of us sometimes the knowledge that the law and religion are right. WHAT THEY SAY WE SHALL NOT DO—THAT WE CANNOT DO WITHOUT SUFFERING."

To any man or woman who is tempted to defy convention in any way and set up a higher (?) standard of morality for herself or himself, I commend these words of Louisa Snyder and Noble.

You may not believe ministers, or friends, or your family. You may say they are theorizing. You must believe her. She knew. God help her.

stances. All of these interests tax time and strength but they are worth while.

On the other hand too many women, both in village and city waste time over card playing and a large number spend too many hours running through the stores. They excuse themselves on the plea that they are looking for the place to buy "at the best advantage." But they are more than likely to buy enough extra things in these trips to offset any possible economy that may come from their bargain hunting.

Hours that are saved to woman through modern invention ought to be used in making the family life more comfortable and the world a better place to live in.

### To the Newspapers!

Hail to the newspaper, comforter of lonely hearts which wander, blinder of home fires, voice of the nation, vehicle of sympathy for the bereaved, participator in joys of the living; joining the people of a land, yet bringing cheer and comfort to those of the armchair and fireside.

### Depths of Misery.

Downcast, Alaskan Prospector—I just ain't got the heart to dig, 'cause with every ounce of gold I takes out of the earth, I decrease the purchasing power of the dollar!—Puck.

# Women

From Forty-Five to Fifty Are Much Benefited by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"The 'change of life' is a most critical period in a woman's existence, and the anxiety felt by women as it draws near is not without reason.

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Mrs. Estella Gillispie

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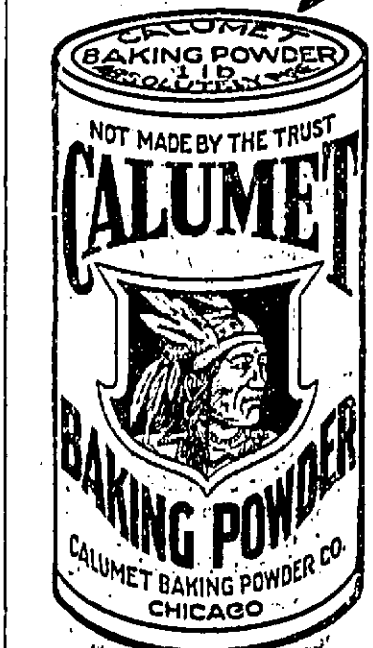
"I saw your advertisement in a paper and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I was helped from the first. At the end of two months the swelling had gone down, I was relieved of pain, and could walk with ease. I continued with the medicine and now I do almost all my housework. I know your medicine has saved me from the grave and I am willing for you to publish anything I write to you, for the good of others."—Mrs. ESTELLA GILLISPIE, R.F.D. No. 4, Box 31, St. Anne, Illinois.

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Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 3/4 pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) in a pint bottle and add the Sugar Syrup. It keeps perfectly. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

Pinex is one of the oldest and best known remedial agents for the throat membranes. Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in quinine and all the other natural healing elements. Other preparations will not work in this formula.

The prompt results from this recipe have endeared it to thousands of housewives in the United States and Canada, which explains why the plan has been imitated often, but never successfully.

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## CONTINUE REVIEWING REVISED ORDINANCES

COMMON COUNCIL MET LAST NIGHT IN ADJOURNED SESSION TO EXAMINE CHANGES.

## WORK SOON FINISHED

Expect to Complete Readings at Next Regular Meeting Monday Evening—Changes Submitted.

Reviewing the city ordinances of Janesville as revised by Attorney William R. Ruge, Jr., was resumed at an adjourned meeting of the common council last evening. Considerable difficulty was experienced in securing the necessary quorum and it was not until 8:30 o'clock when the members present were about ready to go home that the timely arrival of a sixth alderman made it possible to hold the meeting. Mayor Nichols, City Attorney Maxfield, and Aldermen Hall, Shurtliff, Evans, Spohn, Schmldy, and Connell were present. The changes in substance in the ordinances read were few and aroused little discussion, making adjournment possible shortly before ten o'clock.

Avoid Publication. Attorney Ruge, in carrying on the work of revision, has acted with the understanding that all provisions in the ordinances which are covered by the statutes are to be eliminated. The ordinance defining and providing penalties for delinquent and disorderly persons and provisions of the statutes and these have consequently been removed in revision.

The new ordinance on city officers has the duties of these stated more fully and specifically than they have been heretofore. Mr. Ruge stated that he had made a study of the ordinances of several cities covering this field, and the one proposed by him conformed very closely to that of the city of Rockford.

Number of Assessors. Some discussion arose over the advisability of changing the number of the assessors from five to four. This was considered by some of the aldermen to be in conflict with the law according to the commission form of government. City Attorney Maxfield stated that this provides for but one assessor. Mayor Nichols ventured the statement that the city of Eau Claire, operating under that form, had four assessors. A way out of the difficulty was found by Attorney Ruge who changed the provision to read, "One or more assessors."

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## IT'S DIFFERENT



NEWARK

Newark, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Mary Morley Haley, one of Newark's aged and highly respected residents passed away Thursday noon at the Holist hospital, death being due to a broken leg, followed by pneumonia. Mrs. Haley came to Wisconsin when a mere child, from Syracuse, N. Y., and since has made her home in Newark. Mrs. Haley being seventy-three years of age at the time of her death. The funeral was held from her late home Sunday at one o'clock and at two o'clock at the Newark town hall. Rev. Hunt of Deloit officiated. She leaves to mourn her loss an aged husband, one sister, Mrs. Joseph Hambolt of Deloit, and several nieces and nephews. The pall bearers were H. East, J. Condon, S. and N. Hays, and F. Morlet. Interment was made in the Newark cemetery.

Leola Cox is ill with pneumonia. While the Leap Year party was in full swing Friday evening at Newark a lively horse from Footville was killed and its leg broken. The animal had to be killed.

Miss Evelyn Gower of Janesville came out Friday evening to attend the Leap Year party and was the guest of Miss Conville Day.

Mrs. O. G. Cox is convalescing rapidly.

A horse owned by Clifford and William's broke its leg Friday in some unknown way, while standing in the barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Stokes went to Horton to attend the funeral of the former's cousin, Mrs. Myrtle Young Helmet, Tuesday.

## HANOVER

Hanover, Feb. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Damerow and daughter attended the wedding of Miss Martha Elsie and Otto Korhola of Loyden. Bernice Jensen spent Friday in Deloit.

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Indigestion when the stomach is absolutely unknown where the effective remedy is used. Diapiesin really does

## Take in Time

T. H. Lentz and Chas. Wadel attended the Comest Show at Chicago Friday and Saturday.

A large crowd attended the box social at the Hall Friday night.

Miss Rachel Shurtliff, Miss Ruth Homburg and Miss Edna Cook of Janesville were Saturday and Sunday visitors here.

Fred Olson and Miss Ella Marshall of Janesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Murshel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon of Janesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Parkhurst.

Chas. Horkenbagen and Joseph Flint are taking in the Comest Show at Chicago this week.

H. L. Bornheimer, State Sealer of weights and measures spent Tuesday here.

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## INCOME TAX NOT A PROPERTY TAX ANSWERS STATE

Makes Reply to Motion For Rehearing by the Supreme Court Briefs Are Filed.

Action on the motion for a rehearing of the so-called income tax case will probably be taken by the supreme court soon after its next meeting on March 12. Briefs for the rehearing were filed with the court at Madison yesterday by Carpenter & Pusey of Milwaukee, also the state's reply by Deputy Attorney General Russell Jackson.

While the plaintiff makes other points against the law it says: "The capital contention under this head the fourteenth amendment, however, we would state as follows: 'The fourteenth amendment prohibits its states from levying graduated taxes on property; and despite the amendment to the Wisconsin constitution it is property within the meaning of the fourteenth amendment upon which this act does levy a graduated tax.'"

In its reply to the motion for a rehearing the state denies the contention of the plaintiff that an income tax is a tax on property, saying in part:

"It is argued that our constitution does not distinguish taxation of income from that of property, and income is classed with privileges and corporate franchises, but the word 'privileges' in this amendment means privileges for favor employment or business by special permission or license. Taxation of privileges and occupations are always treated together as distinct from property taxation."

Reply also is made to the point that taxation of income from municipal bonds impairs the obligation of contracts, that taxation of income on business in and out of the state taxes interstate commerce, and that the act discriminates against residents of the state.

Quoting from a recent letter former Justice J. E. Dodge of the Supreme court the state says:

"The really vital point of the court's decision was that the income tax authorized by our constitution and laid by the statute is not a tax on property but upon an activity, or what in a certain sense may be deemed a privilege existing under the law to earn and enjoy income. This is some kind of an advance beyond the position taken by the federal courts in sustaining inheritance taxes and in occupation, transaction or activity."

## TWENTY-SIX CASES FOR REGULAR TERM

Calendar For Regular Term of County Court Which Convenes Tuesday, March 5.

There are twenty-six cases on the calendar for the regular term of the County Court which convenes on Tuesday, March 5. The following matters will be brought up for settlement:

Proof of Will. Sarah W. Andrews, Merit Z. Southwick, George Winney. Petition for Administration. Mary Lowery, John Woshan. Petition for Assignment of Dower. Thomas Drew.

Citation of Executor. Flora G. Winston, Claims.

Albert Hemen, Charles Winship, Clara A. Mosher, James Shoshan, J. E. Hayer, June B. Moore, John M. Sawin, Nathan Wade, Harry Thuerwacher, Mary McShane, Frank Walker.

Accounts. Alfred McLaughlin, Bridget Malloy, Mary L. Hyde, John Arnold, Jane Rosenden, Daniel H. Shaw, William S. Mize, George T. Palmerton.

## JANESVILLE K. C. GO TO DELAVAN SUNDAY

Will Attend Installation of New Lodge of the Order.

A special train will leave Monroe Sunday morning and pick up delegates from Janesville and Deloit for the installation of a new council of the Knights of Columbus at Delavan Sunday afternoon.

A large class will be initiated at the installation. Janesville, Deloit and Monroe have guaranteed two hundred and fifty knights to attend the banquet that will follow, and it is estimated that over six hundred knights and candidates will be present. The Deloit special over the St. Paul road will connect at Hardwell with the Monroe and Janesville special. There is talk of running a special train from Racine and Kenosha and other lake shore points for the initiation. The St. Paul road has no passenger connections through Delavan on Sunday and the knights who wish to attend will be forced to charter special trains.

It is planned at present for Janesville to put on the first degree and Deloit the second. The third degree train will be Kelly and Connors of Manitowish.

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## ELECT OFFICERS AT MEETING WEDNESDAY

Annual Meeting of Summer Club of Household Economies Held at M. E. Church.

Yesterday at the church parlors of the M. E. church was held the annual meeting of the Summer Club of Household Economies. The forenoon was given to the business of the club and election of officers. The following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. A. M. Glenn; vice-president, Mrs. A. A. Jackson; secretary, Mrs. Nicholas Schenck; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. C. Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. George Osgood; auditor, Miss Jessie De Forest.

A fitting vote of thanks was given the retiring president, Mrs. E. J. Hendricks and secretary, Mrs. P. L. Starr, for their untiring and efficient work the past year. The new president, Mrs. Glenn, took the chair and thanked the ladies for the honor conferred, saying it surely was an honor to preside over a club of three hundred members of intelligent ladies and club women. The meeting was then adjourned for dinner, which was served by the Methodist ladies in the dining room and was one of the best ever furnished in the club. About one hundred were served.

The afternoon meeting was called to order at 2:30 o'clock, and a very interesting program was given, arranged by the program committee composed of Mrs. George Hurrell and Mrs. J. B. Day. Miss Hurrell gave a vocal solo and a recitation was given by Miss Agnes Webster.

Dr. Sears who gave a lecture at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, was escorted in with Rev. Laughlin as body guard, and gave a humorous and interesting talk to the ladies.

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## DOUBLE WEDDING IS HELD AT ROCKFORD

Two Janesville Couples Went to Forest City Yesterday to Take Nuptial Vows.

Rockford's popularity as a place for the marriage of Janesville couples was demonstrated yesterday when a double wedding was performed at the Methodist parsonage in that city. Miss Elsie Hinton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hinton of Janesville, was wedded to Fred Diehl of this city and Miss Ella Gunlock became the bride of Dell Coryell, both of Janesville. The Rev. N. Lynch read the marriage service at eleven-thirty o'clock after which the two couples enjoyed a wedding dinner at one of the Rockford hotels. They returned to their city yesterday afternoon and will make their home here.

Teetzel-Wedley. The marriage of Miss Nellie Teetzel of Jefferson City, Mo., to Roscoe Wedley of this city, was solemnized Tuesday evening at eight o'clock at the St. Paul Lutheran parsonage, Rev. C. J. Koerner officiating. Miss Minnie Albrecht and Frank Olson attended the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Wedley will make their home in this city.

County Line. Feb. 28.—Frank West of Evansville and Ben, Hanson of Union were Sunday guests at the home of Nels Hansen.

Thos. and Richard Stern were called to Minnesota last Friday by the serious illness of their mother.

C. J. McCarthy spent Sunday at the Jerry Murphy home.

John Hymers of Evansville is spending a while with Nels Hansen.

Irene Rothrold spent Sunday with her friend Lillian Vinney.

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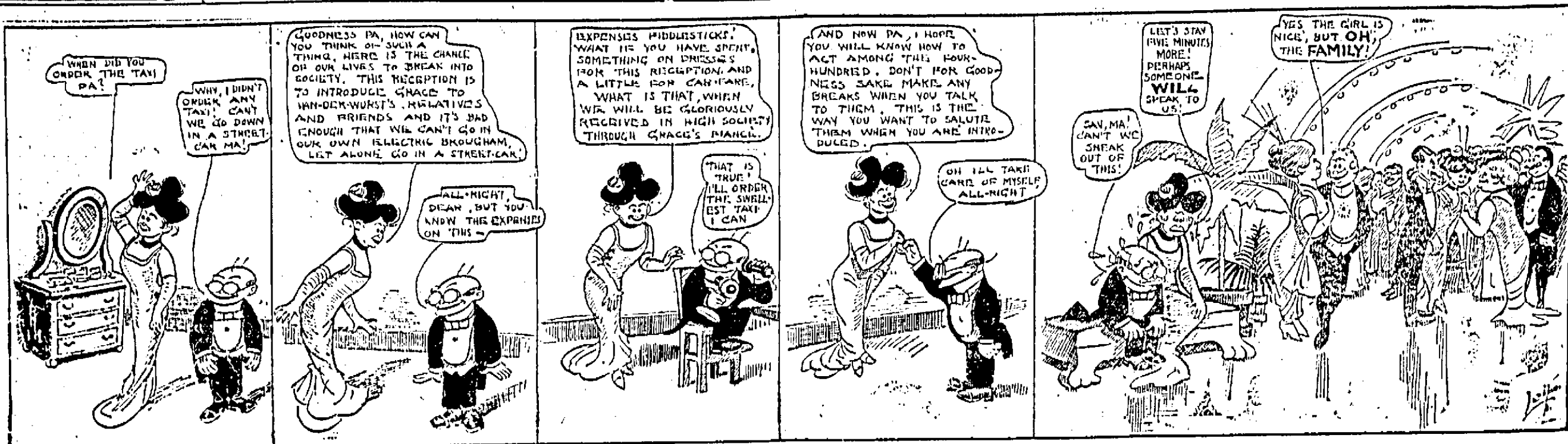
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DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—It can't be said that Mother is firmly established in Society as yet.

# The PHANTOM OF THE OPERA

By Gaston Leroux

Author of  
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and THE PERFORMER OF THE LADY IN BLACK  
Illustrations by M. G. Kettner  
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"Did you hear that?" . . . There, in the corner . . . good heavens! . . . Like a sound of machinery! . . . Again! . . . Oh, for a light! . . . Perhaps it's the machinery that is to blow everything up! . . . I tell you, a cracking sound; are you deaf?"

M. de Chagny and I began to yell like madmen. Fear spurred us on. We rushed up the stairs of the staircase, stumbling as we went, until we reached the door, to return to the mortal light of the room of mirrors! We found the trap-door still open, but it was now as dark in the room of mirrors as in the cellar which we had left. We dragged ourselves along the floor of the torture-chamber, the floor that separated us from the powder-magazine. What was the time? We shouted, we called: M. de Chagny to Christine, I to Erik. I reminded him that I had saved his life. But no answer, save that of our despair, of our madness: what was the time? We argued, we tried to calculate the time we had spent there, but we were incapable of reasoning. If only we could see the face of a watch! . . . Mine had stopped, but M. de Chagny's was still going. . . . He told me that he had wound it up before dressing for the opera. . . . We had not a match upon us. . . . And yet we must know. . . . M. de Chagny broke the glass of his watch and felt the two hands. . . . He questioned the hands of the watch with his finger-tips, going by the position of the ring of the watch. . . . Judging by the space between the hands, he thought it might be just eleven o'clock!

But perhaps it was not the eleven o'clock of which we stood in dread. Perhaps we had still twelve hours before us!

Suddenly, I exclaimed: "Hush!" I seemed to hear footsteps in the next room. Some one tapped against the wall. Christine Daa's voice said: "Hush! Hush!"

We were now all talking at once, on either side of the wall. Christine sobbed; she was not sure that she would find M. de Chagny alive. The monster had been terrible, it seemed, had done nothing but rave, waiting for her to give him the "yes" which she refused. And yet she had promised him that "yes," if he would take her to the torture-chamber. But he had obstinately declined, and had uttered hideous threats against all the members of the human race! At last, after hours and hours of that hell, he had that moment gone out, leaving her alone to reflect for the last time. "Hours and hours? What is the time now? What is the time, Christine?"

"It is eleven o'clock. Eleven o'clock, all but five minutes!"

"But which eleven o'clock?"

"The eleven o'clock that is to decide life or death! . . . He told me so just before he went. . . . He is terrible. . . . He is quite mad; he tore off his mask and his yellow eyes shot flames! . . . He did nothing but laugh! . . . He said, 'I give you five minutes to spare your blues!' Here, he said, taking a key from the little bag of life and death, 'here is the little bronze key that opens the two ebony caskets on the mantelpiece in the Louis-Philippe room.' . . . In one of the caskets, you will find a scorpion, in the other, a grasshopper, both very cleverly imitated in Japanese bronze; they will say yes or no for you. If you turn the scorpion round, that will mean to me, when I return, that you have said yes. The grasshopper will mean no. And he laughed like a drunken demon. I did nothing but beg and entreat him to give me the key of the torture-chamber, promising to be his wife if he granted me that request."

"But he told me that there was no future need for that key and that he was going to throw it into the lake!" . . . And he again laughed like a drunken demon and left me. Oh, his last words were, "The grasshopper! He cares of the grasshopper! A grasshopper does not only turn! It hops! It hops! And it hops jolly high!"

The five minutes had nearly elapsed and the scorpion and the grasshopper were scratching at my brain. Nevertheless, I had sufficient lucidity left to understand that, if the grasshopper

"The terrible silence began now. The 'Vicente de Chagny,' realizing that there was nothing left to do but pray, went down on his knees and prayed. As for me, my head bent so forcibly that I had to take my head in both hands, lest it should burst. At last, we heard Erik's voice:

"The two minutes are past. . . . Hop, grasshopper! . . . Hop, grasshopper!"

"Erik," cried Christine, "do you swear to me, monster, do you swear to me that the scorpion is the one to turn?"

"Yes, to hop at our wedding."

"Ah, you see! You said, to hop!"

"At our wedding, ingenious child! . . . But that will do! . . . You won't have the scorpion? Then I turn the grasshopper!"

"Enough!"

I was crying out in concert with Christine. M. de Chagny was still on his knees, praying.

"Erik! I have turned the scorpion!"



"I Give You Five Minutes to Spare Your Blues!"

were turned, it "would hop . . . and with it many members of the human race! There was no doubt but that the grasshopper controlled an electric current intended to blow up the powder-magazine!"

M. de Chagny, who seemed to have recovered all his moral force from hearing Christine's voice, explained to her, in a few hurried words, the situation in which we and all the opera were. He told her to turn the scorpion at once.

"There was a pause. Christine," I cried, "where are you?"

"By the scorpion!"

"Don't touch it!"

"The idea had come to me—for I knew my Erik—that the monster had perhaps deceived the girl once more. Perhaps it was the scorpion that would blow everything up. After all, why wasn't he there? The five minutes were long past . . . and he was not back. . . . Perhaps he had taken shelter and was waiting for the explosion! . . . Why had he not returned? . . . He could not really expect Christine over to consent to become his voluntary prey! . . . What had he not returned?"

"Don't touch the scorpion!" I said.

"Here he comes!" cried Christine.

"I hear him! Here he is!"

We heard his steps approaching the Louis-Philippe room. He came up to Christine, but did not speak. Then I raised my voice:

"Erik! It is I! Do you know me?"

With extraordinary calmness, he at once replied:

"So you are not dead in there? Well, then, see that you keep quiet. I tried to speak, but he said coldly: 'Not a word, and he shall blow everything up.' And he added, 'The honor rests with mademoiselle. . . . Mademoiselle had not touched the scorpion—how deliberately he spoke!—'mademoiselle has not touched the grasshopper'—with that composure!"

"But it is not too late to do the right thing. There, I open the caskets

without a key, for I am a trap-door lover and I open and shut what I please and as I please. I open the little ebony caskets; mademoiselle, look at the little deers inside. Aren't they pretty? If you turn the grasshopper, mademoiselle, we shall all be blown up. There is enough gunpowder under our feet to blow up a whole quarter of Paris. If you turn the scorpion, mademoiselle, all that powder will be soaked and drowned. Mademoiselle, to celebrate our wedding, you shall make a very handsome present to a few hundred Parisians who are at this moment applauding a poor masterpiece of Meyerbeer's . . . you shall make them a present of their lives. . . . For, with your own fair hands, you shall turn the scorpion. . . . And merrily, merrily, we will be married!"

A pause; and then:

"If, in two minutes, mademoiselle, you have not turned the scorpion, I shall turn the grasshopper. . . . and the grasshopper, I tell you, hops jolly high!"

The terrible silence began now. The 'Vicente de Chagny,' realizing that there was nothing left to do but pray, went down on his knees and prayed. As for me, my head bent so forcibly that I had to take my head in both hands, lest it should burst. At last, we heard Erik's voice:

"The two minutes are past. . . . Hop, grasshopper! . . . Hop, grasshopper!"

"Erik," cried Christine, "do you swear to me, monster, do you swear to me that the scorpion is the one to turn?"

"Yes, to hop at our wedding."

"Ah, you see! You said, to hop!"

"At our wedding, ingenious child! . . . But that will do! . . . You won't have the scorpion? Then I turn the grasshopper!"

"Enough!"

I was crying out in concert with Christine. M. de Chagny was still on his knees, praying.

"Erik! I have turned the scorpion!"

Oh, the second through which we passed!

Waiting! Waiting to find ourselves in fragments, amid the roar and the ruin!

Feeling something crack beneath our feet, hearing an appalling hiss through the open trap-door, a hiss like the first sound of a rocket!

It came softly, at first, then louder, then very loud. But it was not the hiss of fire. It was more like the hiss of water. And now it became a gurgling sound: "Guggie! Guggie!"

We rushed to the trap-door. All our thirst, which vanished when the terror came, now returned with the lapping of the water.

The water rose in the cellar, above the barrels, the powder-barrels—"Harrel! . . . Harrel! Any barrels to sell?"—and we went down to it, with parched throats. It rose to our elbows, to our mouths. And we drank. We stood on the floor of the cellar and drank. And we went up the stairs again in the dark, step by step, went up with the water.

The water came out of the cellar with us and spread over the floor of the room. If this went on, the whole house on the lake would be swamped. The floor of the torture-chamber had itself become a regular little lake, in which our feet splashed. Surely there was water enough now! Erik must turn off the tap!

"Erik! Erik! That is water enough for the gunpowder! Turn off the tap! Turn off the scorpion!"

But Erik did not reply. We heard nothing but the water rising: it was half-way to our waists!

"Christine!" cried M. de Chagny. "Christine! The water is up to our knees!"

But Christine did not reply. . . . We heard nothing but the water rising.

No one, no one in the next room, no one to turn the tap, no one to turn the scorpion!

We were all alone, in the dark, with the dark water that seized us and clasped us and froze us!

"Erik! Erik!"

"Christine! Christine!"

By this time, we had lost our foothold and were spinning round in the water, carried away by an irresistible whirl, for the water turned with us, and dashed us against the dark mirror, which thrust us back again; and our throats, raised above the whirlpool, roared aloud.

We were to die here, drowned in the torture-chamber! I had never seen that, Erik, at the time of the rosy hours of Mazenderan, had never shown me that, through the little invisible window.

"Erik! Erik!" I cried. "I saved

your life! Remember! . . . You were sentenced to death! But for me, you would be dead now! . . . Erik!"

We whirled around in the water like so much wreckage. But, suddenly, my straining hands seized the trunk of the iron tree! I called M. de Chagny, and we both hung to the branch of the iron tree.

And the water rose still higher. "Oh! Oh! Can you remember?"

How much space is there between the branch of the tree and the dome-shaped ceiling? Do try to remember! It must find its level! . . . There, I think it is stopping! . . . No, no, oh, horrible! . . . Swim! Swim for your life!"

Our arms became entangled in the effort of swimming; we choked; we fought in the dark water; already we could hardly breathe the dark air above the dark water, the air which escaped, which we could hear escaping through some vent-hole or other. "Oh, let us turn and turn and turn until we find the air hole and then give our mouths to it!"

But I lost my strength; I tried to lay hold of the walls! Oh, how those glass walls slipped from under my groping fingers! . . . We whirled round again! . . . We began to sink! . . . One last effort! . . . A last cry:

"Erik! . . . Christine! . . . Guggle, guggle, guggle!" in our ears. "Guggle! Guggle!" At the bottom of the dark water, our own went. "Guggle! Guggle!"

And, before losing consciousness entirely, I seemed to hear, between two guggles:

"Barrel! Barrel! Any barrels to sell?"

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